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TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING A STREAM THAT CONTAINS ENCRYPTED INFORMATION									
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Albert Maria Arnold RIJCKAERT; Roland Peter Jan Mathijs MANDERS									
Applicant(s) herewith submit to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:									
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3. []	This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).								
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